

### **IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the paragraph starting on page 1, line 8 as follows:

This patent application is related to co-pending U.S. non-provisional Serial No. ~~xx/xx,xx~~ 09/407,552, entitled *Digital Audio Dynamic Range Compressor And Method* (Attorney Docket No. TI-26912, 032350.B072), filed on September 27, 1999; U.S. non-provisional Serial No. ~~xx/xx,xx~~ 09/408,095, entitled *Digital Tone Control With Linear Step Coefficients* (Attorney Docket No. TI-27861, 032350.A967), filed on September 27, 1999; U.S. non-provisional Serial No. ~~xx/xx,xx~~ 09/401,422, entitled *Digital Graphic Equalizer Control System and Method* (Attorney Docket No. TI-28878, 032350.A936), filed on September 22, 1999; and U.S. non-provisional Serial No. 09/192,981, titled *Digital Signal Processing Circuits, Systems, and methods Implementing Approximations for Logarithm and Inverse Logarithm* (Attorney Docket No. TI-28146), filed on November 16, 1998, all of which are incorporated herein by reference.